Attorney Docket No. 5649-1028

In re Application: Se-Myeong Jang *et al.* Application Serial No.: 10/422,430

Filed: April 24, 2003

Page 11

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement of December 23, 2003, Applicants hereby elect Claims 1-9, 17-24, 31-40 and 50-55 corresponding to Invention II, drawn to methods of fabricating integrated circuit devices. Applicants have canceled Claims 10-16, 25-30, 41-49 and 56-61 corresponding to Invention I, drawn to integrated circuit devices. This cancellation is being made without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application for these claims and/or other claims.

Applicants are not traversing the restriction requirement because Applicants agree that the unpatentability of Invention I would not necessarily imply the unpatentability of Invention II.

The title has been changed to conform to the election of Claims 1-9, 17-24, 31-40 and 50-55.

In view of the above, Applicants respectfully request favorable examination and allowance of Claims 1-9, 17-24, 31-40 and 50-55.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth A. Stanek

Registration No.: 48,568

USPTO Customer No. 20792

Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec Post Office Box 37428 Raleigh, North Carolina 27627 Telephone: 919/854-1400

Facsimile: 919/854-1400

Certificate of Mailing under 37 CFR 1.8 (or 1.10)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 20, 2004.

Ban Younan